



Loyett Owens

August 11, 1946 - April 10, 2025

Loyett Owens, 78, of Chattanooga, passed away Thursday, April 10, 2025, in a local hospital surrounded by family and friends. She was born on August 11, 1946, in La Grange, Georgia to the late Mildred Broom and the late Jesse Ben Person.

Loyett attended Georgia Public Schools and graduated from Mary Johnson High School. She worked as most typical teenagers in varied areas. After attaining her nursing degree, she established a lifelong career where she worked over forty years as an RN at Baroness Erlanger Hospital. She was a born-again Christian. She accepted Christ at an early age and was a faithful member of Greater Faith Temple Missionary Baptist Church. She served diligently on the Nursing Ministry, loved her church, and above all she knew and loved God. She had strong faith and constantly praised God regardless of the outcome of any situation. She always exclaimed, "God is in control". She loved her entire family; she would do whatever she could to assist anyone in need. She had a loving heart; a calm and pleasant demeanor and she would encourage her family to seek and allow God to be a strong part of their lives. She would teach her grand kids and great-grand kids bible scriptures, setting the foundation for religious and spiritual knowledge. She had a personal relationship with the Lord.

She was active in the Glenwood Neighborhood Association. Due to her

medical knowledge, many would solicit her advice regarding their health or a person they knew confronted with medical related issues. When Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity had special events, she was a constant supporter of their endeavors. God allowed her to live out her passion to aid, encourage and assist those in need. She understood God's will for our entrance and exit in life.

Loyett was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Gary Ann Broom, Pat Broom, and Linda Bibbins; brothers, Larry Person and Wayne Broom. She leaves to cherish memories a loving daughter and caregiver, Katrena Davis; granddaughter, Ashlei Ammons; grandson, Ashton Ammons; great-grandchildren, Princeton, Aurieon, and Naychur, all of Chattanooga, TN; lifelong partner, Graydell Price; sister, Lisa (Alfred, Sr.) Boykins, of Fayetteville, GA; godson, Brillard Kelley; nephews, Shawn Owens, Reginald Owens, Antwon Broom, Fitzgerald Bibbins, Brandon (Tess) Boykin, Alfred (Julie) Boykin, Jr., Travis Broom, and Anthony Broom; nieces, Therrodesha Byars and Tanyell Cochran; special cousins, Billy Owens, Bobbi Owens, Theresa Young, Delores Readus (Reginald) Elder, and Daphine (Tarel) McClurkin. Other family and friends, Eugenia, Kim, Chondra, Courtney, Chad, Roslyn, Wileen, Vonda, Jacine, Maggie, Nadine, Virginia, Dan, Sam, and Eugene. Special and devoted family friends, Constance Jackson, Teddy Knox, Vaughn Moore Lenora Kelley, and The Pardues; and a host of nieces, nephews, family and other friends. Loyett will lie-in-state on Tuesday, April 22, 2025, from 12:30-5:00 p.m. at Taylor Funeral Home. Funeral service will be Wednesday, April 23, 2025, at 12:00 noon in the chapel with Pastor Walter Owens, Jr. officiating and Pastor Tarel McClurkin as the Eulogist. Burial in Forest Hills Cemetery.

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Cemetery Details

Forest Hills Cemetery

4016 Tennessee Avenue
Chattanooga, TN 37409

Previous Events

Lie-In-State

APR **22**. 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home
3417 Wilcox Boulevard
Chattanooga, TN 37411-1076

Funeral Service

APR **23**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Taylor Funeral Home
3417 Wilcox Boulevard
Chattanooga, TN 37411-1076

Burial

APR **23**. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Forest Hills Cemetery
4016 Tennessee Avenue
Chattanooga, TN 37409

Tribute Wall

VH

“ My name is Vivian Hunt I live in Columbus Ohio, Ms Loyett was one of my mom's (Helen Gray) best friends-that is how I met her. She was always so sweet and kind to me and my mom, She visit and helped my mom when she was goinh through her cancer treatments, she use to take flowers to my moms grave site after she passed. Ms Owens was a blessing to all that knew her and will truly truly be missed. You all have my deepest sympathy, may God comfort you and give you peace. As long as you have memories of her she will always be with you. "Those we love don't go away they walk beside us every day unseen unheard but always near still loved still missed and VERY DEAR"! She is resting at peace in Gods hands.



Vivian Hunt - July 10, 2025 at 10:26 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Cemetery Service-Loyett Owens



Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc. - May 12, 2025 at 01:38 PM

PJ

“ I will always remember "Mama 2". She and Trena were with me when my Mom died. She was with me when the Drs were gonna send me home with an open pressure sore and other medical problems. By the time Mama 2 got through talking to the Drs about sending me home the Dr kept me until I was medically cleared. Even though she was dealing with own medical issues, she went with me to my Dr Appointments when Trena wasn't able to. Also when I moved in with them...I never will forget what she told me "Welcome Home". Mama 2 say Hi to my Mom and Dad and I will see them later. Trena and I miss you but we know you're watching over us and will always be with us. ❤️❤️



Pam Jackson - April 27, 2025 at 03:02 PM



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Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc. - April 25, 2025 at 04:50 PM



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Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc. - April 25, 2025 at 04:50 PM

DS

“ *DeniseChildress Suggs lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



DeniseChildress Suggs - April 22, 2025 at 10:07 PM

DL

“ *Loyette worked with us in the Medical Mall at the hospital and I have never in my 45 years of service at the hospital met a more caring, loving person than Loyette. She always went the extra mile to help people. A true servant of God who has now gone on to her reward. Heaven just got sweeter and brighter.*

David Lee - April 22, 2025 at 02:37 PM

NK

“ *Nicole K lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Nicole K - April 22, 2025 at 12:09 PM

LW

“ *I worked with Ms Loyett years ago at Erlanger ..she was one of the sweetest people to ever meet..always had a smile...*



Lenard Wigfall - April 21, 2025 at 11:51 PM

DK

“ My deepest condolences to the family of Loyett. She and I worked together at Erlanger in the 80's on NW7, second shift. I was the secretary. She was a very sweet person and I will have fond memories of our times together. Rest in heaven my friend until we meet again.

Deborah Kelly - April 21, 2025 at 07:19 PM

YC

“ Yolanda Calloway lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Yolanda Calloway - April 21, 2025 at 02:02 PM

GM

“ Condolences to the Owens family and friends. She was a well respected nurse and medical professional at Erlanger. May she rest in peace.



Gracelia Moore - April 21, 2025 at 11:18 AM

MP

“ Monica Pollard-Ervin lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Monica Pollard-Ervin - April 21, 2025 at 10:04 AM

MT

“ *Marva Taylor lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Marva Taylor - April 21, 2025 at 03:14 AM

DS

“ *Sending my prayers and condolences to the family.*

Debra Shaw - April 19, 2025 at 03:46 AM

DJ

“ *Sincere condolences & prayers to Loyett's family. In honor of a dedicated & compassionate Registered Nurse named - Loyett.*



A Nurse's Prayer

"Let me dedicate my life today,

to the care of those who come my way.

Let me touch each one with healing hands, and the gentle art for which I stand.

And then tonight when day is done,

O let me rest in peace, if I helped just one."

Prayerfully submitted:

Deborah Johnson,

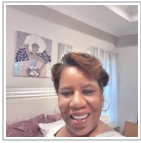
Olivet Baptist Church Health/ Nursing Ministry

Deborah Johnson - April 18, 2025 at 11:54 AM

DE

“ I am deeply saddened by the loss of my dear cousin Loyette. She was a beautiful person and I truly miss her. I always prayed for her asking the Lord to heal her body and I find myself still praying for her by habit but God had something better, He healed her on the other side. God bless Trena and the family. ❤️

Delores Readus Elder - April 18, 2025 at 09:49 AM



“ Our's deepest condolences . Carrie, Avis and Eric.



Avis Wilkerson King - April 17, 2025 at 06:46 PM

LN

“ Loretta Nunn lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Loretta Nunn - April 16, 2025 at 06:19 PM

LM

“ Lily McWhorter lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Lily McWhorter - April 16, 2025 at 05:47 PM

LO

“ *Sending our sincere condolences to the entire family on behalf of the Henry, Rivers and Orr family.*



Leslie Orr - April 15, 2025 at 06:10 PM

RF

“ *Rosalyn W. Farmer lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Rosalyn W. Farmer - April 15, 2025 at 05:17 PM

MD

“ *Marvella And Dirria lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Marvella and Dirria - April 15, 2025 at 12:02 PM

BO

“ *I will sincerely miss my cousin and friend. She was so loved.*
-Bobbi Owens

Bobbi Owens - April 15, 2025 at 09:43 AM

JG

“ My Condolences to Trina Ashley man man grandkids and family praying for healing and strength Ms Loyett Owens I will truly miss the talks we had 🙏🌹❤️❤️



Jennifer H Greenhill - April 15, 2025 at 09:33 AM

SC

“ Sending my sincere condolences and prayers to the family. 🙏



Stephanie M Cash - April 14, 2025 at 09:11 PM

CP

My Condolences and prayers to the family Ms. Loyette was such a sweet beautiful inside and out lady ❤️🙏

Connie Phillips - April 16, 2025 at 10:12 AM

VT

“ Vickie Thornhill lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Vickie Thornhill - April 14, 2025 at 06:54 PM

MB

“ *Mona Buchanan lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Mona Buchanan - April 14, 2025 at 06:07 PM

EF

“ *My sincere condolences to the entire family.*

Edna M Freeman - April 14, 2025 at 01:12 PM

SK

“ *Sharon Kennard lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Sharon Kennard - April 14, 2025 at 03:47 AM

BS

“ *Beverly Sales lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Beverly Sales - April 13, 2025 at 06:52 PM

YO

“ Yolanda lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Yolanda - April 13, 2025 at 05:49 PM

YO

I'm sending prayers to the family MsLoyett was a very nice person RIP

Yolanda - April 13, 2025 at 05:51 PM

LC

“ Nora Kelley & Cherri
Sending Our Condolences.
TRULY An Amazing DAUGHTER
MOM, GRANDMOTHER, & FRIEND!!



LENORA & CHERRI - April 13, 2025 at 04:50 PM

QH

“ Queen Hayes lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens



Queen Hayes - April 13, 2025 at 03:37 PM

DT

“ *Darlana Toney lit a candle in memory of Loyett Owens*



Darlana Toney - April 13, 2025 at 03:48 AM

AH

Prayers for the family 💕 friends of Loyett Owens I've known a long time. Mrs. Mildred Gary Ann Linda Pat Wayne and grandchildren love 💕 you'll with so many memories.

Angela Hampton - April 14, 2025 at 11:08 PM

MP

RIP Beautiful Queen you will truly be missed, Trina GOD got you all....So Sorry for you loss

Marlinda Powell - April 23, 2025 at 12:08 PM